

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

The House passed H.R. 754, Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2011.

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate stands adjourned until 2 p.m. on Monday, May 16, 2011.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 41 public bills, H.R. 1891–1931; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 63–64; and H. Res. 268 were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: There were no reports filed today.

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Bishop (UT) to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest chaplain, Monsignor Stephen Rossetti, Associate Professor, The Catholic University of America, Washington DC.

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Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2011: The House passed H.R. 754, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2011 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, by a recorded vote of 392 ayes to 15 nays, Roll No. 329. Consideration of the measure began yesterday, May 12th.

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Rejected the Nadler motion to recommit the bill to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with an amendment, by a recorded

vote of 182 ayes to 228 noes with 1 voting “present”, Roll No. 328.

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Agreed to:

Rogers (MI) amendment (No. 1 printed in H. Rept. 112–75) that was debated on May 12th that clarifies that section 411 of the bill, which provides certain authorities for Defense Intelligence Agency Expenditures, applies only to National Intelligence Program funds. Also strikes section 412 of the reported bill, providing for the establishment of certain transfer accounts for intelligence funds (by a recorded vote of 224 ayes to 174 noes, Roll No. 323);

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Gibson amendment (No. 5 printed in H. Rept. 112–75) that was debated on May 12th that requires the Director of National Intelligence to submit to Congress a report containing recommendations the Director considers appropriate for consolidating the intelligence community (by a recorded vote of 278 ayes to 123 noes, Roll No. 324);

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Carney amendment (No. 8 printed in H. Rept. 112–75) that was debated on May 12th that establishes the sense of Congress that railway transportation should be included in transportation security plans for intelligence agencies (by a recorded vote of 221 ayes to 189 noes, Roll No. 326); and

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Reed amendment (No. 9 printed in H. Rept. 112–75) that commends the United States intelligence community for their successful operation in